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PASS EXIMBANK

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: BEXP, BENC, EFIN, KS
SUBJECT: EXIM FINANCING FOR KORI THREE AND FOUR

REF: (A) STATE 92634; (B) STATE 72248

1. EMBASSY HAS RELAYED REFTEL REPLIES TO EPB AND KECO QUESTIONS.
2. KECO EXEC. VICE PRESIDENT, SUNG NACK CHUNG, STATED THAT KECO HAS ALREADY FORWARDED DETAILED INFORMATION REQUESTED IN EXIM LETTER OF MARCH 3 TO BECHTEL (THE PROJECT SUPERVISORS) IN U.S. WHICH IS PUTTING DETAILS INTO APPROPRIATE FORMAT FOR PRESENTATION TO U.S. EXIMBANK. BANK CAN EXPECT SOON TO RECEIVE REQUIRED DATA FROM BECHTEL.
3. KOREAN CONCERN ABOUT EXPEDITIOUS PRESENTATION ULTIMATELY RELATES TO STEVENSON THREAT TO HOLD KORI THREE AND FOUR APPROVAL HOSTAGE. ECONOMISTS IN ROKG FEEL THEY HAVE PERSONAL CAREER STAKE IN SUCCESSFUL OUTCOME AND NO DOUBT WILL CONTINUE TO EXHIBIT DEGREE OF NERVOUSNESS. HENCE, WE ARE GRATEFUL FOR ANY TRANQUILIZING MATERIAL WE CAN USE, SUCH AS THAT IN REFTELS.
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